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TITLE: SYSTEM FOR STORING FOR SPLICES IN A JOINT BOX

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Box Patent Application

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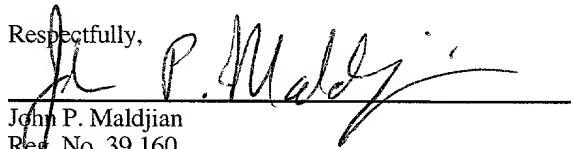
1. Transmittal Letter (1 sheet in duplicate)
2. Specification (10 sheets)
3. Informal sheets of drawings (6 sheets)
4. Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 sheets)
5. Recordation Form (1 sheet)
6. Assignment (2 sheets)
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Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if applicable			\$270=	\$0
Basic Fee				\$710
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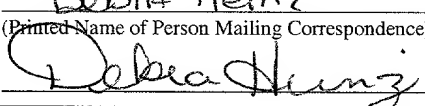
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